

SHOW MARKED INTEREST IN COMING CONFERENCE VISITING BANKERS WILL BE ROYALLY ENTERTAINED

Bankers Especially Aroused Over
Meeting to Discuss Opening Up
of Latin-American Trade.

GATHER HERE SEPTEMBER 18

Chamber of Commerce Calls Two-
Day Session for Purpose of Plan-
ning Ways and Means to Increase
Sale of American Products.

Bankers throughout this section of country, as well as manufacturers, agriculturists, and other business men, are keenly interested in the tentative plan for the entertainment of the Richmond convention of the American Bankers' Association, October 12 to 17. Municipal authorities, Chamber of Commerce, Business Men's Club, Reserve City Bankers' Association, the clearing-house Bankers' Institute, Shriners, Rotary Club, and Elks are all joining with the general committee to make reception of delegates "Typically Richmond."

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Citizens of Richmond are heartily co-operating in arranging for the entertainment of the bankers, and every man and woman guest to the convention will receive that personal attention that distinguishes Richmond as a convention city.

There will be banquets, teas, receptions and other functions by various local organizations, automobile rides to points of interest, and visits to manufacturing plants, a brilliant ball, which will be held at the Jefferson Hotel, the reception line luncheons and other functions for the delegates and guests, a musical at the City Auditorium and theatre parties and a boat trip down the historic James River.

The Yacht and Country Clubs will open their gates to the guests throughout the week, when games can be played by devotees of that sport.

CONVENTION ARRIVES

MUCH INTEREST HERE

Probably never before in the history of greater Richmond has so much interest been shown in a convention to be held here, although this is regarded as the "contingency city" of the South, and more national conventions are held here each year than in any other Southern city. Prominent financiers and their wives are named on the committees and every moment of the time the delegates are here there will be some thing of interest and pleasure going on.

The financial world is now greatly interested in Richmond, as this city has been selected as one of the twelve in which to locate a regional reserve bank. In the general contest for the location of these banks, Richmond gained ground over Atlanta, and out in the competition over Washington and Baltimore.

Richmond bankers were among the first of the country to organize for the campaign and to enlist the aid and co-operation of commercial and industrial organizations. The success of the work is now well known in the community and to-day Richmond occupies a most important position in the financial world.

It is a matter of note and considerable pride with local financial men that the Fifth District, which is the Richmond territory, was the first of the twelve to elect its directors for the General Reserve Bank, and it is confidently thought that this will be the first city to have a regional reserve bank in actual operation.

HAVE ALREADY MADE MORE THAN 2,500 RESERVATIONS

Although the convention is yet a month off, more than 2,500 reservations have been made in local hotels by delegations from all parts of the country. Early and indications are that the attendance will be equal to that at Boston, Mass., during the convention held in that city last year. There will be ample hotel accommodations for all of the delegates, it is thought, for the hotel equipment in this city is equal to that in any city its size in the world. While the lodgings of the convention will be maintained at the Jefferson Hotel, branch quarters for registering delegates will be established in several of the other large hotels. Persons who have attended conventions in many of the larger cities of the country declare without hesitation that there is better place anywhere for a meeting of this size and importance than in the beautiful and spacious quarters at the Jefferson Hotel.

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Internal Revenue Delegates

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The importance of the approaching convention has aroused great public interest, and the committees appointed to look after the affair include more prominent men than ever before served in a like capacity. Members of the various committees have been carefully selected and all of them are deeply interested in their work, and are determined to make the undertaking a great success.

On no other occasion have such extensive preparations been made for a convention, and Richmond is determined to do as much or more for the financiers as any other city has done. Large sums of money will be expended for decorations, and no pains will be spared to insure the success of the gathering.

It is expected that the Richmond Federal Reserve Bank will be in full operation by the time the convention assembles and the visitors will have the opportunity of paying a visit to one of the twelve large Federal institutions of the country in action. This will give the guests an adequate idea of business conditions in this section of the country.

CHARTERS ISSUED

New Fraternal and Beneficial Order Secures Incorporation Papers.

The Star of United Aid Society of Virginia, the name of a fraternal and benevolent organization, obtained papers of incorporation from the State Corporation Commission yesterday. The society asks no authority to issue capital stock. Thomas J. Overby, president, and Clifford L. Winfree, secretary, both of Norfolk, are the officers.

Other charters and amendments to charters were issued as follows:

Amendment to Charter of Union Applequist, Incorporated. Increasing capital stock from \$1,000,000 changing principal office from Alexandria to Staunton.

Humidus, A Son, Incorporated. Norfolk, Capital stock: \$1,000,000. Object: Insurance agency business. A. C. Humphreys, president; T. G. Brightwell, secretary and treasurer; both of Norfolk.

California Fruit Cider Co., Incorporated. Norfolk, Capital stock: \$1,000,000. Object: Manufacturing fruit juices, ciders, etc. W. H. Watts, president; William H. Komp, secretary, both of Norfolk.

Judge White Designated.

Judge B. D. White, of the Twenty-eighth Circuit, Norfolk, was designated yesterday by Governor Stuart to sit for Judge Jesse F. West in the Circuit Court of Brunswick County several days next week.

No evidence on which to hold George Jackson and J. B. Gardner.

The cases against George Jackson and J. B. Gardner, arrested several weeks ago by Detectives Bryant and Smith on a warrant charging them with maintaining a gambling-house at 31 North Second Street, was yesterday dismissed in the Police Court for lack of sufficient evidence.

The warrants against the men were sworn out by Jacob Schell, who said that he had last in the neighborhood of \$100 in the place. The detectives had no case against Jackson and Gardner, and merely executed the warrants against them. A social club is said to be operated at the address.

POLICEMAN SAVES GIRL FROM RUNAWAY AUTO

Patrolman Smith Rescues Miss Lillian Henley at Ninth and Main Streets.

Snatched from the path of a runaway automobile in the heart of the business section on Main Street yesterday shortly after noon, by Patrolman Alexander M. Smith, Miss Lillian Henley, nineteen years old, of 1722 Floyd Avenue, fainted in his arms. The young woman was carried into a nearby drug store where she was resuscitated. She was taken to her home in a taxicab.

According to witness, Patrolman Smith undoubtedly saved the life of the girl and escaped injury himself by the barest fraction. He was standing at Ninth and Main Streets when he saw Miss Henley in the act of crossing the street. Hardly had he turned his head when he saw the oncoming car. Instantly he turned and called the young woman in his arms, keeping her clear of the car and other traffic on the sidewalk. The unexpectedness of the incident completely unversed Miss Henley.

The runaway automobile was the property of G. C. Garland, of 2606 Hanover Avenue, and stopped at the stand on the right side of Ninth Street between Main and Bank. It is believed that mischievous newsboys started the car, as the owner was absent at the time of the incident. It was caught and stopped by bystanders before it could run amuck in the con-

gestion.

Chief of Police Werner happened to be in the vicinity at the time and witnessed Smith's cool judgment and quick action. The patrolman was roundly praised for his work, but modestly disclaimed any special credit.

Police Cases

Al Franklin was yesterday fined \$5 and costs in the Police Court on a charge of being drunk and disorderly after which he was arrested by Patrolman Manoely.

J. S. McBride, arrested by Patrolman Tait on a similar charge, was assessed a fine of \$10.

James Smith, colored, was fined \$5 and costs by Justice Crutchfield when appearing on a charge of being disorderly.

Fitzhugh White, colored, also arrested on a charge of being disorderly on the street, was fined \$5 and costs. His arrest was made by Patrolman Water.

Seaboard Earnings

Approximate gross earnings of the Seaboard Air Line Railway for the month of August were \$1,656,505, as compared with \$1,654,359 during the same month last year. From July 1 to August 31, this year were \$3,332,675, compared with \$3,631.

For the month of August last year gross earnings were \$349,456, showing a slight decrease in the figures for the same period last year, which were \$349,655.

FILE NOTICE OF CONTEST

Chancery Court to Pass on Will of Mrs. Lawler.

Children of M. J. Lawler, whose wife was admitted to probate in the Chancery Court yesterday, served notice upon the court, through their attorney, that they will contest that portion of the testament that will divide the estate to the half-brothers and sisters of the deceased. The estate is estimated to be \$100,000.

Pending the adjustment of the controversy, the Virginia Trust Company qualified as curator of the estate, and will hold possession of the property until final disposition is ordered by decree of the court. The case will come to trial at the next term of the court, which begins on the first Monday in October.

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Charged With Theft of Gun

William Smith, colored, was last night charged with stealing a pistol valued at \$5 from Mary Code.

STUART AND HIS STAFF LEAVE FOR BALTIMORE

To Go to Participate in Star-Spangled Banner Centennial, and Will Appear in Parades.

TWO LOCAL BATTALIONS GO

Blues and Grays Travel Aboard Special Trains—Fredericksburg Company Also Makes Trip—Will Return Home on Sunday.

Richmond troops left last night for Baltimore to participate in the Star Spangled Banner Centennial, and will be in the two big parades to-day and to-morrow, together with the Governor of Virginia and his staff. They will return on Sunday.

Gov. John Stuart and his party left at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and arrived at 6 o'clock to Baltimore, where Governor and his staff will occupy quarters in the Emerson Hotel, where headquarters were opened last night. Six Governors of other States are also attending the celebration.

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